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## Japanese "Army Cabinet" Is Forced to Resign

### Business Slumps in Japan Because of Political Crisis

Showdown Results in Ousting of Army-Controlled Cabinet

### UP TO ELECTIONS

First Open Parliamentary Criticism of Army in Nation's History

TOKYO, Japan.—(AP)—Japan's parliamentary political parties overthrew the cabinet of Premier Hirota Saturday, forcing the government to resign under their bitter attacks against the Army.

The premier, unable to reach a compromise between the angry military leaders and the political parties, presented the cabinet's mass resignation to Emperor Hirohito after a final session of his ministers.

### Business Slumps

TOKYO, Japan.—(AP)—Japan's political circles seethed Friday night as cabinet ministers, army chiefs and leaders of the political parties debated whether the emperor shall be asked to dissolve the unruly, anti-militarist House of Representatives.

Thursday's tumultuous session of the lower house of Parliament, it was agreed, had placed vividly before the nation the issue of army domination of the government.

Cabinet members admitted the crisis confronted that body with a choice between its own resignation or dissolution of the lower house. Most political observers, however, believed dissolution, which the army demands, would come.

### Politicians Against Militarists

Dissolution was opposed by the political parties, which precipitated the issue of army control by jeering and booing cabinet members in the House of Representatives Thursday as they attempted to present the government's program, with its huge military appropriations.

In the opposite camp were the army men, the more vehement of whom, political observers believed, favored taking over the government until the parties become "reformed."

The Diet was in suspension Friday.

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### A THOUGHT

'Tis not enough to help the feeble up, but to support him after.—Shakespeare.

## Howard Hughes, Most Eligible Man, Flies to Escape Romance

### Tinkering Genius Makes Fine Films and Air Records

Son of Texas Oil Tool Genius Makes Good in His Own Right

### UPSET HOLLYWOOD

Produced "Hell's Angels," "Scarface"—and Broke Flying Records

By JEAN GRAFFIS

NEA Service Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK.—Equipped with a genius for tinkering, a weakness for taking things apart to see what makes them run, and a firm hand with women, Howard Hughes has, in the last 10 years, soared by plane and movie thriller from the obscurity of being "just another rich man's son" to fame in his own right.

Already established as one of the world's recognized air speed aces, Hughes has just added a characteristic climax by flying from Los Angeles to New York in 7 hours, 28 minutes and 25 seconds, to break his own record of the year before by almost two hours.

It's another feat to add new lustre to the name and personality of this modest young man who, now that he has become a trans-continental sky-commuter, is known as "the most eligible bachelor on two coasts."

No Alger theme has marked Hughes' young career. He started out not as a poor boy looking for a break, but as the sole heir to a big fortune and a thriving business—a boy who could shoot a "hot" game of golf, liked fast automobiles, and had a faculty for spending money at a pace that made even Hollywood dizzy.

### Early Flier

Even in his teens, Hughes was several years in advance of the times. Instead of wanting a canoe for sport, young Howard begged for airplane rides—and got them. And when his father suggested it might be a good idea for his son to learn something about the Texas oil tool trade, young Howard stepped into the factory, pre-empted a work bench and started fig-

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Born to millions, Howard Hughes (left) has attained international fame by personal achievements in business and aviation. Often seen in the company of beauties like heiress Gloria Baker (right), he has eluded romantic alliances since his wife divorced him in 1925.



Lightning Strikes

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va.—(AP)—University of Virginia physicists disclose photographs studies showing that lightning usually strikes the same place not once, but twice, three times or often in a series of flashes each 1-1,000 of a second apart.

### Red Cross Calls for Flood Funds

Local Donations May Be Made to County Chairman D. B. Thompson

Cary T. Gruyson, chairman of the American Red Cross office at St. Louis, wired an appeal to Hempstead county residents Saturday asking for an emergency fund.

### Robison's Buyers on Spring Market Tour

Geo. W. Robison company's buyers will leave the Hope, Nashville and Prescott stores this Sunday on their spring buying trip to the Dallas and Fort Worth markets. Mrs. Maribelle King Burnside will purchase ladies' ready-to-wear for the Hope store.

An hour formerly was one-twelfth of the time between sunset and sunrise, and one-twelfth of the time between sunrise and sunset; hence, it was of different lengths in different seasons.

### Russians Confess Plot to Aid Japs Against the U. S.

17 Counter-Revolutionists Brought to Trial by the Soviet

### WOULD SUPPLY OIL

Russians Agreed to Help Japs With War Supplies Against U. S.

MOSCOW, Russia.—(AP)—The government prosecution announced Saturday that 17 accused anti-Communist plotters have made full confessions to charges of conspiring to furnish Japan with oil from Sakhalin Island in the event of a Japanese war with the United States.

In the presence of U. S. Ambassador Joseph E. Davis, the Russian government opened its trial of alleged counter-revolutionaries by reading an indictment containing sensational sabotage charges.

The intent of the plotters, the indictment charged, was the overthrow of the Communist regime in Russia in a plot supported by Germany and Japan.

### Nicaraguan Canal Is Planned by U. S.

Estimated Cost of 722 Millions Compares With Panama's 526

By STEPHEN J. McDONOUGH

Associated Press Science Writer

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Should congress decide to authorize building of another isthmian canal, through Nicaragua, to supplement the Panama canal it would find the U. S. army ready.

Scientific and engineering data, including information on weather, geology, equipment and man power has been assembled and one of the diplomatic steps—a treaty with Nicaragua giving the United States full rights to build such a canal has been completed.

Further diplomatic negotiations to protect interests of Costa Rica, Salvador and Honduras would be required but no great hurdles are foreseen.

### Cost Set At \$722,000,000

The army corps of engineers has declared itself ready, willing and eager to undertake a ditch-digging job which would rival that of building the Panama canal—which still ranks among the greatest engineering and medical

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### Turned Brown By Brown Turner

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—Have shifted scenes of operation so's to be closer to Norris Dam when the fishing season starts, and it seems the Knoxville Journal was in particular need of somebody from Arkansas to help them out this year, which shows about all you got to do these days to get a good job is just to tell somebody in some other state you're from Arkansas.

Knoxville is a right smart of a town even if it does cost a dime to ride on the street cars, and it is as dry as any city its size in a bone dry state. The only trouble is when it rains and the streets freeze up and you start rolling you never know where you'll wind up.

### 280,000 Homeless in Great Floods

Bitter Cold Adds to Suffering But Slackens Rise of Waters

By the Associated Press

Human misery mounted in the nation's flood zones Saturday as high water invaded new territory and the number of homeless and destitute exceeded 280,000.

The American Red Cross and other rescue agents poured supplies into the inundated areas of 12 states to prevent threatened onslaughts of disease.

Bitter cold added to the suffering of the flood refugees, but acted to stay the rise of the waters.

Forty thousand Kentuckians abandoned their homes before the devastating flood of the Ohio river. The list of dead increased to 18.

### No End in Sight for U. S. Strikes

Another Week Passes Without Peace in Auto, Shipping Industries

By the Associated Press

Another week of negotiations for settlement of the nation's major strikes, automotive and maritime, came to a fruitless end Saturday with no prospects sighted for a compromise.

While federal officials pressed for a solution of the widespread General Motors strike involving 135,000 workers, the opposing leaders gave no hint of intentions to yield.

At one point the ceiling of the Carlsbad Caverns, N. M., is 300 feet high.

### Second Severest Freeze of Season Hits Local Area

Red River Rises Slightly, Standing at 20.9 Feet on Saturday

### CALIFORNIA FREEZE

Greatest Disaster of Modern Times Strikes Pacific Orange Groves

A low temperature of 24 1/2 degrees brought ice to this section Friday night and did much to dry up surplus water on the streets of Hope.

The temperature reading was the second lowest this winter, the Fruit & Truck Branch Experiment station reported. On January 4 the mercury dropped to 23 1/2 degrees.

G. W. Ware, assistant director in charge of the station, said that unless the mercury dropped still lower the present cold spell would be beneficial to fruit trees.

He pointed out that the cold weather would retard growth, and stop bud formation on trees.

Mr. Ware reported that additional rainfall since the reading was taken at noon Friday had brought the total for January up to 12.34 inches—a new record in the 10-year history of this station.

From Fulton, Ben. Wilson, The Star's correspondent, reported that Red river had risen one-tenth of a foot for the 24-hour period ending at 1 a. m. Saturday. The gauge Saturday morning showed 20.9 feet.

Mr. Wilson said that 95 of an inch of rain fell at Fulton Friday, 18 of an inch at Arthur City and 20 of an inch at Index, above Fulton.

### California Disaster

LOS ANGELES, Calif.—(AP)—Winter struck the half-billion dollar California citrus fruit industry its hardest blow in 24 years Friday. Damage from the worst freeze since 1913 may total at least 50 per cent of the current crop of oranges, lemons and grapefruit, value unestimated. Temperatures in the heart of the 250,000-acre citrus empire dropped as low as 16 degrees—16 below freezing—early Friday.

Government weather men at Pomona forecast that "conditions will be decidedly better." Approach of a low pressure area "may make very little orchard heating necessary in Southern California, except in the Imperial Valley," they said.

The bitterest Far Western cold wave in decades held tight in seven states, while a coastal storm brought some relief to the Pacific coast. Snow drifts isolated at least two groups of persons.

### Three Die of Burns

Two men and a boy lost their lives from burns in a desperate fight waged Thursday night throughout the California citrus belt with oil-fueled orchard heaters to save the trees, if not the fruit—valued last year at \$112,000,000.

Smoke from 1,000,000 barrels of oil burned until long after daylight, formed a pall over much of Southern California.

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## Roaring Rivers Rout Hundreds From Their Homes 'Death and Ruin Left by Waters Raging Over Nearly Dozen States



In the floods raging across nearly a dozen states, taking toll of life and causing extensive property loss, this was one of the scores of paved roads washed out by the swirling torrents. Near this spot, on Highway 31, outside Brownstown, Ind., one motorist was drowned when the road crumbled and plunged his car into the swollen waters of White river.



Ravaged by previous disastrous floods, the section around Kennett, in the extreme southeastern part of Missouri, again was swept by a deluge, the scene above showing a great gap torn in the levee by the surging waters of St. Francis river. In the foreground a railway line, barely above the torrents, and a great stretch of fertile farmland was submerged. Hundreds of lowland residents were driven from their homes and more than 2000 refugees were cared for in Kennett, a city of 3500 population, by relief agencies.



Fleeing from the flood raging down the Ohio river, wreaking havoc in six states, these Louisville, Ky., residents moved out their household goods just in time to keep them from being swept away. With their possessions piled at the water's edge, they wait to be taken to a warmer refuge. More than a hundred homes were abandoned in the city's lowlands.



"Hugging" their still warm stove, on the truck which carried their furniture from their flooded Louisville, Ky., home, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cheek here get what comfort they can.

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**The Family Doctor**  
 In Hemophilia, Bane of Royalty, Slight Scratch May Cause Death

By DR. MORRIS FISHER  
 Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine.

One of the most "romantic" of all the diseases that affect mankind is that called hemophilia. This is the disease that affects the former royal families of Spain and Russia—a condition of a peculiar hereditary character, limited to males of the family, but transmitted by females.

In hemophilia, the clotting time of the blood is very much prolonged, so that a person with this ailment may bleed to death without any one being able to cause the blood to clot successfully. In these cases, the number of red blood cells and white blood cells usually is normal while bleeding begins.

Moreover, the condition is distinguished from purpura, described in the previous article, by the fact that the blood platelets also are not diminished. In fact, they are sometimes increased over the normal in response to the bleeding that occurs. Hence, in hemophilia it is not platelets, but some other element necessary for the clotting process that is missing.

Many investigations have been made all over the world in an attempt to find out just what happens in the blood of a person who is hemophilic.

It seems likely that the defective coagulation in some cases may be due to difficulty in the formation of the blood-clotting element called thrombin, but the cause for the deficiency in this element has not yet been determined.

There happens to be still another element in the blood called anti-thrombin, which interferes with clotting, and it has been said that an excessive amount of this substance is responsible.

The chief symptom in hemophilia is, as has already been mentioned, the bleeding. In these cases bleeding frequently follows an injury which, in a normal person, would not bleed. Cases are known in which the pulling of a tooth, a scratch with a needle, or a slight nose bleed has become a hemorrhage which resulted in death.

The person with hemophilia will have bruises under the skin, with the formation of large masses of blood, but will not have spots of the type that occur in purpura. Bleeding from a slight injury occasionally will occur in a joint, resulting in a severe symptom that causes much distress.

Because of the severe character of this condition and the inability of medical science to control it, children with hemophilia seldom live to adult age. It is almost impossible for the average person to avoid slight bruises or accidents, and the hemophilic, therefore, is in constant danger of some accident that will cause death.

The most important measure of treatment in cases of hemophilia, of course, is to stop the bleeding when it occurs. There are many different procedures used for this purpose. It is, of course, possible to pack a wound with gauze or cotton or to sew it together tightly.

Various aids to coagulation have been discovered which the doctor will apply to the wound in an effort to aid clotting by supplying the missing elements.

It is also possible to supply these elements by transfusion of blood directly into the veins.

In all cases, however, a hemophilic should be in constant contact with a doctor so that emergency measures may be applied whenever necessary.

**Your Children**  
 By Olive Roberts Barton

Disadvantages Notwithstanding, Public School Is Best for Child

Recently a mother complained that her child was learning bad habits at school.

After visiting the room, she decided to take the little girl out and send her to a private school. "Because," said she, "I never saw such a mixture of unkempt looking children."

It was her affair, and I made no comment, but have been thinking it over. Influence outside the home is bound to have some effect on young life, and the cultured parent will be very resentful when she hears her daughter, who has never heard a rude word spoken in the family, yell to someone to "Shut your mouth" or "I'll slap you down if you say that."

Stick to Rules

But here is the other side. I went to public school, and can well remember some of the rooms I was in. I have in mind at the moment one particular room that had substitutes from one end of the semester to the other. The regular teacher was sick, and at that time there was difficulty in getting good teachers to fill in. The room was terrible. All the bad boys in town, I think, were in it. And some of the things I heard were unprintable.

What did I do? Well, I shivered and hated it. But it never occurred to me to take part or repeat it. I had a standard and stuck by it. If I had ever said to anyone to "shut your mouth," I think my father would have bounced me out to stay.

I know there is a difference. That extreme may disgust the child, and the influence can be more slowly pernicious, when there is just enough of it.

**HOLLYWOOD**  
 By Paul Harrison

Shades of Old Hollywood!—Pie Again Flies Through Air!

HOLLYWOOD—All over the lot: Out at Mr. Hal Roach's playground, there is a brief renaissance of an old and all-but-forgotten art. Patsy Kelly is about to throw a custard pie in the face of Jack Haley. It's all for a scene in the milim musical, "Pick a Star."

Both players are visibly nervous.

Halley doesn't relish the idea, and Miss Kelly isn't sure of her aim, although the distance is only about five feet. He asks, "Are you sure you took off the tin plate?"

She says, "Sure. Don't worry about anything. I'm no Dizzy Dean."

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Sedgwick. "Here we go."

The camera turns. Miss Kelly and Haley speak their few lines of dialog, and then it happens. She grabs the pie, winds up and lets go. Bull's-eye! The goosy missile wraps itself around Haley's face. It is a thick pie, and real custard.

"Cut!" says Sedgwick. Then everyone except Haley begins laughing. "Egg, oh, boy!" yells Patsy. "Am I good? Can I pitch? Was that fun?" The director says he won't need an additional take, so Patsy starts shaking hands all around.

She doesn't shake hands with Haley. His hands are full of pie. So are his eyes, mouth, and ears. A prop boy begins to clean him off with a sponge and a bucket of water. Some of the

old-timers give nostalgic sighs. Reminds them of the good old days.

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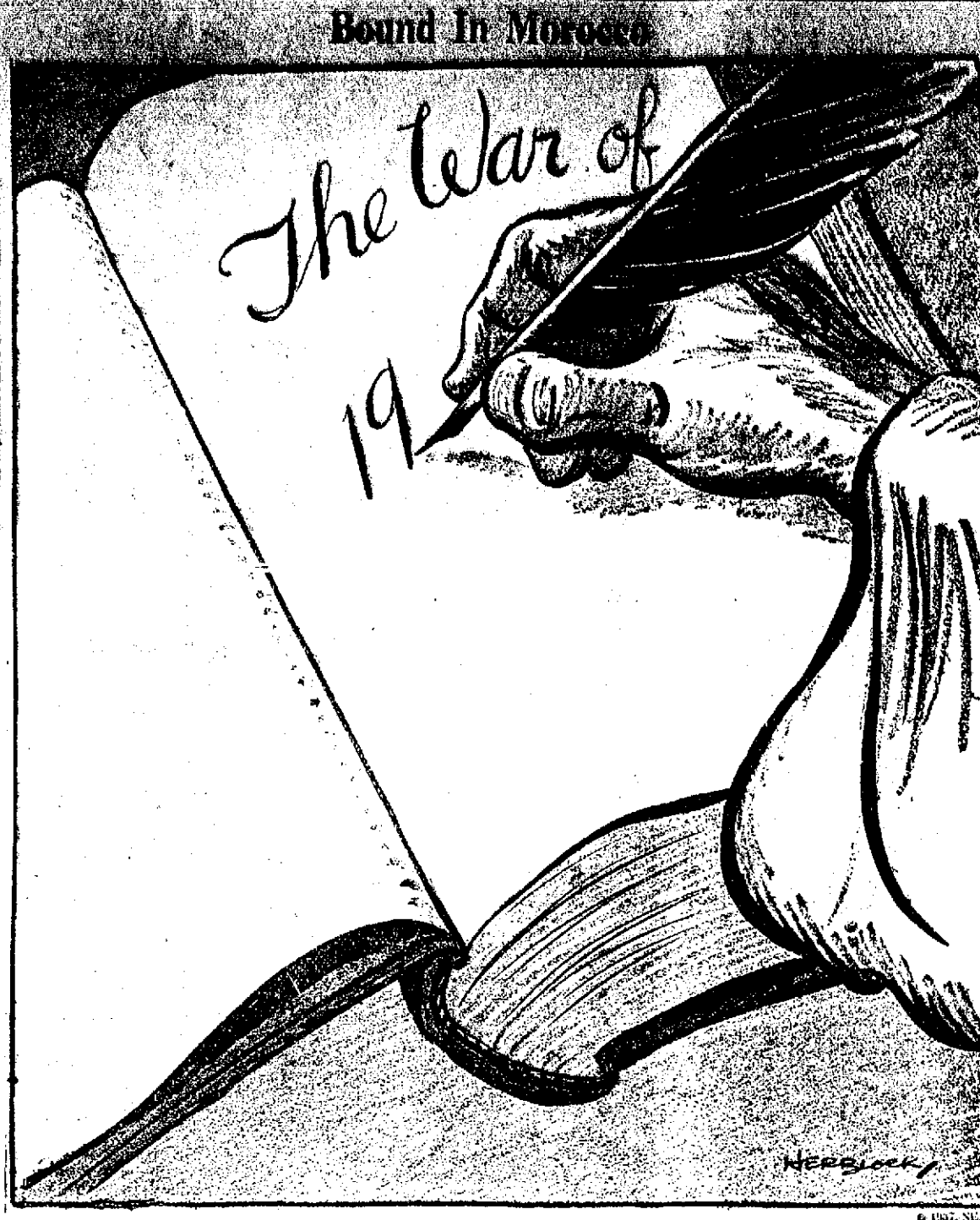
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**The War of 1937**

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"Maytime" set at MGM. The setting is an idyllic little glen which includes a pond with real grass growing to the water's edge and two real swans gliding about on the surface.

The spot was designed for the singings by Nelson Eddy and Jeanette MacDonald of the sweet-heart ditty, "Do You Remember?"

The swans have worked in dozens of pictures and have been very well behaved. But the succulent green grass is too much for them. Swans love grass.

Just as the stars get well into their song, there is a terrific thrashing and splashing at the pond's edge. The birds have torn off chunks of turf and are swishing them in the water to wash off the dirt.

This happens a couple of times until property men with long poles are stationed just out of camera range to keep the swans away from the bank.

Swan Song

Then the camera moves in for close-ups of the singers. The swans remain being left out of the picture, and begin beating their wings on the water. After two successive takes are ruined by the noise, Director Robert Leonard yells: "Get those /s/ & /w/ & birds off this lot, and keep 'em off!"

So the keepers of the swans, red with embarrassment, goes to the edge of the pond and makes silly clucking noises while the movie company rolls in hysterics. The swans look coldly at the keeper and go on yanking out hunks of sod.

Finally a couple of property men arrive with ropes and begin a swan rodeo. It's easy to rope a swan's neck, but hard to keep it in the noose. Everybody yells advice and encouragement. Eventually the birds are caught and huddled off the stage. And "Maytime" marches on.

They sat down on a bench a dozen paces away—Ardath and Reggie Van Twyne.

Reggie, who had seemed quite intoxicated two hours ago, must have grown sober as the evening progressed. His voice, when he spoke, was clear, without the fuzziness that had marked his speech a little earlier.

"Ardath, kid," he was saying, "how long are you going to carry this on, anyhow?"

Paul waited, tense, for her answer.

"I COULD pretend that I don't understand what you mean, Reggie, but I won't," she said. Her voice sounded flat and tired. "I won't even pretend that I'm shocked and insulted. But I can't give you an answer—not a real one. All I can say is, 'I don't know.'"

"Listen," said Reggie. In the dusk Paul could see him turn to face her, one arm looped over the back of the seat so that his hand rested lightly and familiarly on her shoulder. "Listen, Ardath. You were cut out to be my sort of person, not his. You know that, don't you?"

There was a brief pause. Then Ardath said, "I suppose I do. Yes, I suppose I do. Reggie, that doesn't speak very well for me, does it?"

"I don't see why not," said Reggie hotly. "I know—I've been places and done things, I've had my name in the Sunday supplements as a playboy, and all that. But after all—what's he? Just a runaway. Just somebody that took a run-out powder when he found himself in a spot."

Ardath remained silent.

"You and I, now," Reggie went on. "We're two of a kind. We may only be a pair of treys, but we're a pair."

"And he's a king," said Ardath slowly.

There was a long silence.

"We're a shabby, shabby pair," said Ardath at last. "You're right, in a way. I am your kind, not his. His kind is too good for me. He's innocent, Reggie. He's like a child—trusting, and good, and sort of lost."

"Reggie, I can't let him down. I'm all he's got. He gave up too much for me. As long as he wants me, I've got to be on hand."

"You think so," Reggie looked out at the dark bay for a full minute. Then he stood up, and extended a hand to help her to her feet. "Well," he said, "I'll be around. Sooner or later, you know, the bottom'll fall out of all this. You know that as well as I do. When it does, little Reggie'll be on deck."

They moved away, and left Paul alone.

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## A Book a Day

Good Woman's Show in McCleary Naval

In novel, newspaper, and popular tradition, it is always the bad woman who comes slinking in and spoils the man away from the hearth and fireside of the good woman. She is supposed to know all the tricks, and the good woman is supposed to know none of them.

But perhaps it doesn't always work out that way. Indeed, the exact reverse is what happens in "Naked to Laughter," by Dorothy McCleary (Doubleday-Doran, \$2).

Miss McCleary writes a highly readable novel about a young woman who is a milliner in a small Ohio city. Perhaps it's unjust to call this female a "bad woman," she really is a nice sort of person, but she bubbles over emotionally in a way that occasionally makes her indifferent to the conventions.

Anyway, there comes to town a big, rather articulate Dane, for whom our heroine promptly falls like a thousand bricks. She sees to it that she rents a room in the same building as her own. She fusses over him, feeds him, and introduces him to what the honest Dane sadly fears is a life of sin—very pleasant, nevertheless sin.

And just as the lady has this relationship well established, there comes along a pudgy little homebody of a girl, who never had either a boy friend or an improper thought in her whole life—and lifts the Dane out of his entanglement as neatly and skillfully as any Delilah, snaring him for holy wedlock before his innominate knows what is going on.

Miss McCleary is going to be one of my favorite novelists before she gets through. She writes without any waste motion, puts a rich human sympathy and understanding into her books, and makes her characters real enough to step off the page and have a cup of tea with you. "Naked to Laughter" is a very nice book.

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## Here Are Five Rules on How to Choose a Name for the Baby

Five rules for euphony in naming a new baby are given in The Literary Digest.

1. If the surname has one syllable, avoid a one-syllable first name. Example: Montgomery Smith rather than John Smith.

2. With a two-syllable last name, use either a one-syllable or three-syllable Christian name. Example: John Hinton or Christopher Hinton rather than Frederick Hinton.

3. When the last name has three syllables, use either a one- or two-syllable first name. Example: George Dougherty, but not Alexander Dougherty.

4. If a middle name is to be used it should contain more or fewer syllables than the surname, never the same.

5. Avoid overlapping consonants such as Kathleen Norris, Bernard DeVoto, or James Stephens.

Students More

AMES, Ia.—(AP)—Dr. Friley, president of Ames University, believes college students more serious-minded than any other period during years.

Students recognize situation of the outside the uniqueness of our present Dr. Friley says, adding his own student body "minded and more in earnest any time during the last century."

Dr. Friley says he believes realizing more today the necessity of giving an education so they can help the world.

On British railways the steam-driven, 10 internal and 1424 electric locomotives later include motor coaches.

Cow's milk was at one time sible for nearly 25 per cent tuberculosis in humans, according to health authorities.

**Nicaraguan Canal**

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triumphs (over yellow fever) in history.

The Panama canal cost \$525,812,400 and army engineers estimate that the Nicaraguan canal could be constructed for \$722,000,000. The cost would be justified, they believe, because such a canal would be a second avenue of national defense between the United States' east and west coasts and would promote friendly relations and trade between the United States and Central and South America.

The Panama canal was begun in 1904 and opened to traffic in 1914. It has been estimated that a similar period, from 10 to 15 years, would be required to complete the Nicaraguan canal.

Shipping Increase Foreseen

More than 25,000,000 long tons of shipping now use the Panama canal annually, about 80 per cent of its capacity. With a revival in world trade it is believed that the Panama canal might prove inadequate.

The Nicaraguan canal, if built, would be handled in much the same manner as the Panama canal. The latter is guarded by a combined force of the army, navy and marines, including air forces and artillery, sufficient to protect it against attack until help could arrive.

Among operating difficulties in the Panama canal zone are landslides along the big cuts, but the army keeps dredges spotted along the length of the canal and when a slide occurs these are put to work.

**Red Cross Calls**

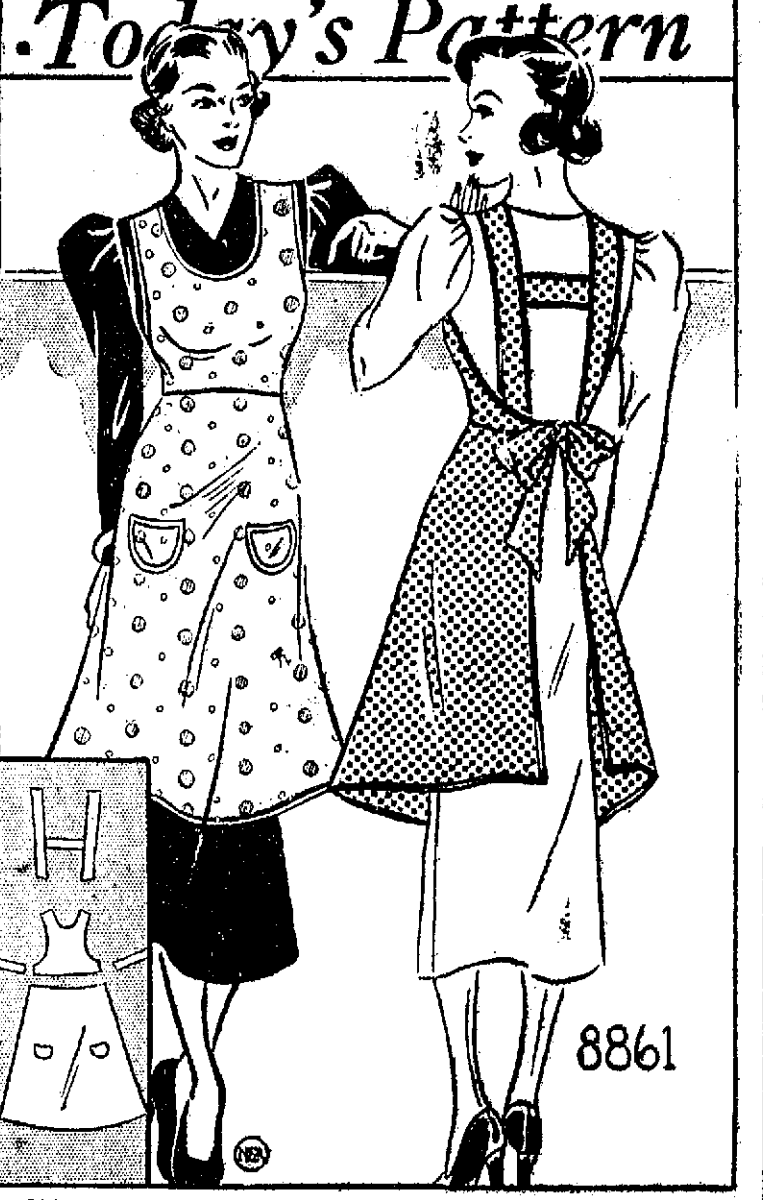
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agency fund of \$130 to aid flood refugees in eight states.

The message was received here by D. B. Thompson, county chairman of the Red Cross chapter. Mr. Thompson asked for a quick response. Donations will be received by him at the store of R. M. LeGrone, Jr. & Co., South Elm street.

The following telegram was received by Mr. Thompson:

"In order to meet hourly increasing



**Today's Pattern**

YOU never can have too many aprons. This one (No. 8861) has only seven pieces to the pattern, and hasn't a single complicated detail to slow up the making. It fits well over the shoulders and stays in place. Use gingham, percale, calico, dotted swiss or lawn. Patterns come in sizes 34 to 48. Size 36 requires 1-7-8 yards of 36-inch material, plus 8 yards of 1-1-2-inch bias binding.

To secure a PATTERN and STEP-BY-STEP SEWING INSTRUCTIONS, fill out coupon below, being sure to MENTION THE NAME OF THIS NEWSPAPER.

The WINTER PATTERN BOOK, with a complete selection of late dress designs, now is ready. It's 15 cents when purchased separately. Or, if you want to order it with the pattern above, send in just an additional 10 cents with the coupon.

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**NOTICE**

Parsons & Lawson Shoe Shop now in their new location at 111 South Elm St. (Cox Drug Bldg.) They invite their friends and customers to visit them in their new location.

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**Sutton and Collier**  
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White Oak Overlaid Post Oak, Burr Oak, Gum Oak and Saw Gum Logs.

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# Society

Mrs. Sid Henry Telephone 321

**Southern Pines**  
I think I know why pines in winter wear their summer green when other trees are bare; The rest are punished for their sin of pride. That sought with thronging leaves the heavens to hide. For pines alone atwart those depths may grow. Yet with each twig a bit of azure show; They come no more between the skies and you. Than homing birds that flit across the blue. Therefore, their season is not quickly run; They are a part of Heaven, like the sun.—Selected.

Miss Louise Hannegan of Texarkana will spend the week end with her mother, Mrs. A. F. Hannegan and other home folks.

E. L. Johnston left Friday for Kilbuck, Texas, where he will spend the week end with Mrs. Johnston and daughter, Miss Ruth Joyce.

Mrs. F. S. Horton has returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Carter Gibson in San Angelo, Texas.

The Clara Lowthorp chapter, C. of C. held its January meeting on Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Martha Houston on North Main street, with Misses Sara Ann Holland and Martha Blackwell as associate hostesses. The meeting was opened by the president, Miss Daisy Dorothy Hendr, and after the reading of the minutes by the secretary, Miss Sara Ann Holland, a short business period was held. Mrs. Edgar Brient, the director, reported two new members, Miss Margaret Moore and Miss Helen Francis City of Ozark. Miss Marie Antoinette Williams led the program on Robert E. Lee, Stonewall Jackson and Matthew Fontaine Maury. Miss Mary Cornelia Holloway gave a very interesting sketch on the life of Lee and the life of Stonewall Jackson was discussed by Miss Audrey McAdams. Miss Margaret Simms closed the program with a poem written by the soldiers of Jackson.

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On Cars and Trucks  
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## THE THEATERS

**At the New**  
The New Theater here has secured the film "Marihuana," showing the evils of the drug of that name, from one of the country's leading circuits, and it will be shown here for two days starting Tuesday.  
"Marihuana" showing here will positively be the only local performance, now or at any other time, the management of the New claims.  
The picture has played in Interstate, Rob and Rowley, Fox, Ballin and Katz, and RKO theaters.  
"Seventy per cent of all drug addicts acquire the habit before they are of legal age, according to one of the well known authorities of the United States government."  
The vicious marihuana-smoking evil thrusts up its ugly serpent-like head, irrespective of the social position of its victim. It has been fought by our government for many years. According to an article on this subject, which appeared recently in the Fort Worth, Texas press, Texas was the first state to legislate against this banned narcotic.  
Dr. Lee Rice of San Antonio, speaking before the American Medical Association recently, stated that "the use of Marihuana cigarettes is spreading among high school and university students, and endangering their health and predisposing them to crimes of violence."  
Only recently a concerted drive against the use of marihuana cigarettes has been put into effect by both federal and state governments and it is believed by the authorities in charge that this frightfully devastating traffic can be controlled. The true story of this terrible scourge and the exotic behavior of addicts while under its sinister influence together with the effects on their minds and bodies is frankly portrayed in the motion picture "Marihuana," which opens at the New Theater Tuesday.  
This picture with its intensive background of fact founded on laborious research strikes square and definitely at the sinister results that come from the early use of marihuana cigarettes by unsuspecting or thrill seeking boys and girls.  
At the Stenger when the ending of the Civil War made the opening of the West of paramount importance to the nation, is the background for "The Plainsman," Cecil B. DeMille's latest screen spectacle, which begins on Sunday at the Stenger theater.  
Arms manufacturers, eager to dis-

**Pope Prostrated by New Attacks**  
Dying Pontiff No Longer Relieved by Emergency Use of Drugs

**VATICAN CITY, Rome, Italy.—(AP)—**Two periods of prostration late Friday left Pope Pius speechless and motionless for half an hour, informed Vatican sources said. These attacks inspired fresh anxiety over his condition, weakened by constant, intense pain.  
Vatican informants said that injections of stimulants no longer have their original effectiveness. The pain in the pope's leg had become so acute he can no longer bear the weight of his bed-clothes. These are now supported on a wire frame. The condition of his right arm was said to be almost as painful as that of his legs.  
The aged pope longed to leave his Vatican apartment and enjoy the warm sunshine flooding the nearby courtyard—but it may never be possible. Earlier in the day the pontiff was well enough to be transferred to his wheeled divan and moved into his salon where he received Monsignor Alfredo Ottaviani, assessor of the Holy Office.

**Second Severest**  
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ifornia. Near-twilight conditions prevailed in Los Angeles until mid-afternoon. Artificial lighting was required in the orchard areas, where visibility was about one city block.  
The 16-degree temperature is two degrees under the 1922 low when half the citrus crop was destroyed. Practically the entire crop was lost in the 1913 freeze, in which minimum temperatures were not recorded.  
In Imperial Valley, rich citrus and vegetable area near the Mexican border, Friday's temperatures fell to 15 degrees. It was feared most of the valley's crop was ruined.  
The California Fruit Growers Exchange said that a week may be required to estimate damage. An early January freeze caused damage unofficially computed at \$15,000,000. In some areas Thursday night, heaters raised temperatures 12 degrees.  
The \$500,000,000 valuation of the citrus industry is based largely on an average \$2,000 an acre value of full producing acreage, including about \$1,300 for the trees.

The word "cufew" comes from "couvre-feu," or "cover fire," and dates back to the time when each householder covered his fire at a certain time every evening.

**Card of Thanks**  
We wish to express our thanks to our many friends for their kindness and sympathy shown to us during our recent bereavement. We especially thank those who contributed the many floral offerings.  
C. D. McLarey and family.

**Gunmen Steal Gold**  
DENVER.—(AP)—"Say AIP," said the gunman to John Boleman as they accosted him on a dark street.  
The four men peered inside his mouth.  
"Sure enough, he's got them," they decided.  
Then they tapped Coleman on the head with a pair of pliers and took the gold bridges from his mouth—value \$66. In addition they stripped him of his clothing, glasses and shoes.

**Spain and Portugal have large cork forests.** These trees, a species of evergreen oak, are stripped of their cork bark every 8 to 10 years and yield 40 to 60 pounds of cork to a tree. In spite of the repeated stripplings, the trees thrive for 150 years or longer.

## FLAPPER FANNY



"Get out, Brad! I don't want you eavesdropping."  
"Aw-w-w! I wasn't even listening. And anyway, you've got the story all wrong."

## NEWS CHURCHES

**GARRETT MEMORIAL BAPTIST**  
Hollis Purdie, Pastor

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m.  
B. Y. P. T. C. 6:45 p. m.  
Prayer meeting 7:30 p. m.  
Ladies Auxiliary Monday 2:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.  
Men's workers meeting 7:30 p. m.  
Everyone is welcome.

**HOPE GOSPEL TABERNACLE**  
Bert Webb, Pastor

Don't miss Sunday school next Sunday, "rain or shine," your perfect attendance record may finish the entire year intact if you keep it that way during this rainy season. We are looking for you in our Sunday school next Sunday morning at 9:45.  
The pastor will speak at both the 11 o'clock morning worship hour and the evening evangelistic service at 7:30.  
Christ's Ambassadors and Children's church meet at 6:30.  
The disagreeable weather is a real challenge to your faithfulness meet it with an overcoming spirit by attending the services on Sunday. Orchestra and choir help you to worship.  
Spend an enjoyable hour at the Gospel Tabernacle Sunday night, it is Hope's Full-gospel center.

**HOPE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**  
Miss Danita Barnum, Pastor

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Sunday morning worship 11 a. m.  
Sunday evening service 7:15 p. m.  
Tuesday evening prayer meeting 7:15 p. m.  
Friday evening bible study 7:15 p. m.  
In spite of the rainy weather, the Sunday school department of the church has been having a good attendance, and we urge each one to make a special effort to be present.  
The pastor will speak at both the morning and evening hour Sunday. At the morning hour, the subject announced is "The Hidden Life with Christ," a devotional message particularly for those who desire a more consecrated Christian life. "True Worship" is the subject of the message for the evening hour.  
The public is invited to attend these services and also the mid-week services.

**FIRST METHODIST**  
Fred R. Harrison, Pastor

9:45 a. m. church school.  
10:55 a. m. morning worship. Sermon subject, "Opportunities Omitted."  
3 p. m. Vesper service. Sermon subject, "The Authority of Jesus."  
6 p. m. Intermediate Epworth League.  
6:30 p. m. Young People's Epworth League.  
People work regardless of the kind of weather. God calls us to worship Him in foul weather or fair.  
You are invited to be with us in the worship tomorrow.

**ST. MARK'S CHURCH**

Sunday, January 24, 1937.  
Holy communion 7:30 a. m.  
Morning Prayer 10 a. m.

**FIRST BAPTIST**

9:45 a. m. Sunday school.  
10:55 a. m. morning worship. Sermon by Rev. William R. Parsons.  
6:30 p. m. Training union.  
7:30 p. m. Evening worship. Sermon by Rev. William R. Parsons.  
Every member of our church is urged to bring their friends to both the morning and evening services to hear Rev. Parsons as he brings God's message.

Rev. Parsons, whose home is in Little Rock, Ark., is ministerial student of Ouachita college, and a brother of Mrs. M. S. Bates, superintendent of our primary department.  
Wednesday 7 p. m. teachers' meeting. 7:45 p. m. mid-week service.  
Every one will be glad to know that our pastor, who has been confined in Josephine hospital with influenza and ear complications is reported improved.

**WED** Matinee ONLY  
Gene Raymond and Ann Sothorn  
'Smartest Girl in Town'

**THUR & FRI**  
MARTHA RAYE  
Shirley Ross  
'HIDEAWAY GIRL'

**SAT'S** Open 11 a. m. to 11 p. m.  
BIG DOUBLE SHOWS 25c

## Howard Hughes

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Hughes, interested in the picture, then the era of colossal movie-making caught his fancy. He "wanted to do something for himself," so he started "Hell's Angels" as a silent picture, remade it as a successful talkie. One of the most expensive (\$4,000,000) productions in film history, "Hell's Angels" actually made money for Hughes and was a rebuke to the Hollywood veterans who had dubbed it "Hughes folly."  
Later he produced "Two Arabian Nights," "Everybody's Acting," "Dawn Patrol," "The Rocket," "Scarface" and others, most of them successful.  
Hughes liked the films, but his wife, the former Ella Rice of Houston, didn't. She returned to Houston, and in 1929 they were divorced.  
Apparently finding himself more than equal to the task of picture-making, Hughes returned to his old love, aviation, and began spending reportedly huge sums on planes and aeronautical gadgets.  
At Santa Ana, Cal., in 1935, he set a land speed record of 352 miles an hour. His non-stop flight from Los Angeles to New York on January 14, 1936, set a new record of 9 hours, 27 minutes, 10 seconds. To this he added a record of 4 hours, 22 minutes for the 1196-mile flight from Miami to New York, clipping nearly 40 minutes off the old record.  
But it's not only as a speed racer, but as an inventor and developer of flight science, too, that Hughes has won the respect of the aviation world. "Aviation is a business with me. Don't call me an amateur. I've spent too many long hours studying this stuff for anyone to say I do it for fun," Hughes says.  
Actually, it hasn't all been fun. On one flight from Houston to New Orleans, his plane was forced down in the Mississippi River. He escaped injury in New York when an amphibian cabin plane he had borrowed was caught by a tail wind and nosed over at the takeoff. And on his latest record-breaking, transcontinental flight, he was in danger when his oxygen apparatus failed in the sub-stratosphere.  
Has Big Yacht  
Hughes is the owner of a 320-foot yacht, which he lavishly outfitted for entertaining, at a reported cost, overall, of \$2,000,000. But in all his cruising above Miami moons or star-lit skies above Catalina Island, he has not succumbed to romance to the extent of re-marrying. It wasn't the inspiration was lacking, for many beautiful girls have been on the guest list for his cruises.  
His first romance was with Billie Dove, the actress. Then it was Lillian Bond, another film star. Timmie Lansing, who later became Peter Arno's bride, and Libby Marston, also from society's upper strata, also were mentioned as possible brides of the affluent Mr. Hughes.  
Ida Lupino, Mary Rogers and Ginger Rogers won similar notice, and Actress Frances Drake rated big publicity when she admitted that she and Hughes were "interested in each other" to the extent of refusing other dates while they were apart.  
Pretty Gloria Baker of the social set has bobbed up frequently in news of Hughes' "impending" marriage, and even 15-year-old Ruth Moffett, daughter of Standard Oil's James A. Moffett, was at one time rumored engaged to the flyer.  
Currently sharing headlines with him is Katharine Hepburn, who be-

## Philip H. Morris, 41, Negro, Dies Pneumonia

Philip H. Morris, 41, negro, life-long resident of Hope, died Thursday of pneumonia. He is survived by his wife, his parents, three sisters, and four brothers. Funeral will be held Sunday afternoon from Mt. Pleasant C. M. E. church with burial in the negro cemetery here.  
Some butterflies are transparent, thus blending constantly with their surroundings.  
trayed concern over his latest record flight until she received a wire from him: "Safe and down in Newark."

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# Large Bird

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

**Horizontal**

1 Name the bird. **MARY**

2 Name the bird. **OLIVIAN**

3 Name the bird. **NEAR**

4 Name the bird. **ODDS**

5 Name the bird. **INANE**

6 Name the bird. **CARE**

7 Name the bird. **RESPECT**

8 Name the bird. **SIGNEES**

9 Name the bird. **YES**

10 Name the bird. **O**

11 Name the bird. **NACRED**

12 Name the bird. **TRUED**

13 Name the bird. **OARS**

14 Name the bird. **PAIR**

15 Name the bird. **OPPOSES**

16 Name the bird. **PERUSAL**

17 Name the bird. **RAIN**

18 Name the bird. **ALLS**

19 Name the bird. **SLATS**

20 Name the bird. **ERAS**

21 Name the bird. **SILENT**

22 Name the bird. **CHILDISH**

**Vertical**

1 Frightened.

2 The ankle.

3 Foretold.

4 Note in scale.

5 Light brown.

6 Native of India.

7 Snaky fish.

8 Neuter pronoun.

9 To guide.

10 To wash.

11 Therefore.

12 Sleigh.

13 Opposite of wood.

14 Half.

15 Cordage fiber.

16 To slumber.

17 Its site is protected in Europe.

18 Pertaining to him.

19 Trap.

20 Assistance.

21 It is a bird.

22 To pare.

23 To cleave.

24 Cow-headed goddess.

25 God of war.

26 Turfs.

27 Ana.

28 Common water cress.

29 Roll of film.

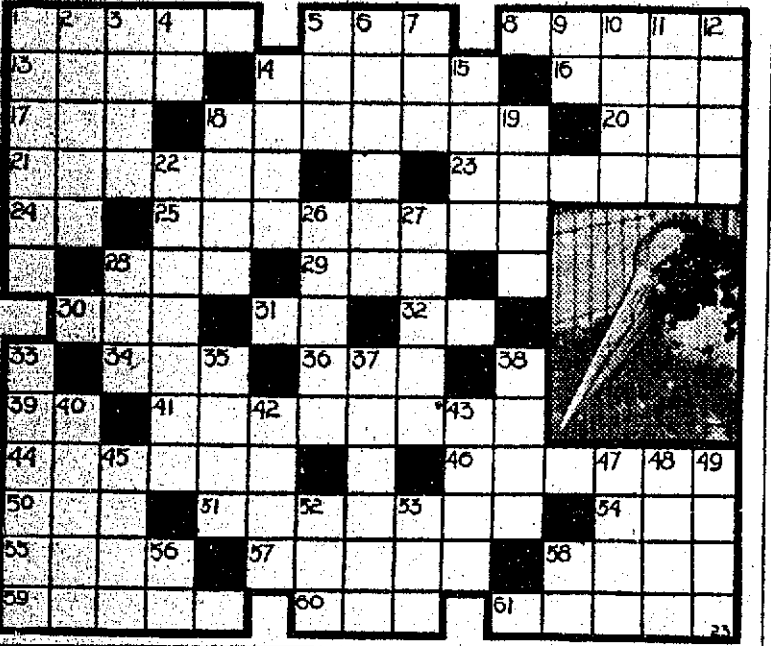
30 49 36 inches.

31 Sailor.

32 Mesh of lace.

33 Street.

34 Therefore.



## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With... Major Hoople

EVERY ONE'S IN THE ROOST EXCEPT HICKY AND MCFADDLE! THEY'RE IN THE CAGE FOR TEN DAYS! THEY WERE WEAVIN' HOME FROM GRIDLEY'S WEDDIN', WHEN A COP SAW THEM STANDIN' IN FRONT OF AN AUTO POSTER TRYIN' T' THUMB A RIDE, AND HE CALLED TH' ROWDY CART!

HOT DOGS AND ONION-COATED HAMBURGERS! EGAD, BOYS, A MORE TEMPTING FEAST NEVER WAS LAID BEFORE ROYALTY, UM-M-M...

MAN! LET ME CLAMP MY SNAPPERS INTO ONE OF THEM SIZZLING BEAGLES!

HEY! FILL UP THIS GROWLER! I'M AS THIRSTY AS A TROUT ON A HOT DOCK!

WHAT BLAME POOL OPENS THIS WINDOW?

HEY! LEAVE THAT OPEN! LET IT ALONE!

HAVE WE NO RIGHT? WE WANT IT OPEN.

TH' BRISH AIR FIENDS ARE IN TH' MAJORITY HERE, I SEE.

NO FRESH YOU KEEP WINDER HERE, AIR LIKE H...

COME AND GET IT

A BIG FOOT FOR THE OWLS

## OUT OUR WAY

Oh!

IT SURE HAS BEEN NICE, SEEING YOU AGAIN, PEG!! I DON'T KNOW WHEN I'LL BE COMING BACK

WHY ARE YOU GOING AWAY?

SURE I'M GOING BACK WITH BOOTS AND BAGE

HERE HE IS, NOW

"IRON" MEN

## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

YES SIR! I RECKON BOOTS AND BAGE ARE ABOUT THE GRANDEST GIRLS IN THE WORLD

THAT IS -- NEXT TO YOU! BUT OH, WELL -- SHUCKS I RECKON THERE'S NO USE OF GOING INTO THAT AGAIN! THE LAST TIME YOU TOLD ME FINAL -- SO, HERE WE ARE, HOME AGAIN

ALLEY OOP

## By MAR

Now, you listen t'me - you an' ooola run along over to sawalla - I've enough hides on hand to keep me busy for quite a spell

THAT'S ALL - SEE? I TOLD YOU DAD WOULDN'T CARE!

OKAY, THEN - LET'S GIT GOIN'!

UNAWARE OF THE CALAMITY THAT HAS BEFALLEN SAWALLA, Ooola and Alley Oop set out for the settlement by the sea.

WELL, FOLKS - I'M GONNA RUN OUT ON YOU FOR A COUPLE OF DAYS - I'M GONNA RIDE OL' DINNY OVER TO SAWALLA.

OH, ALLEY OOP - MY GREAT BIG, BRAVE, HANDSOME HERO - AW, LOO!

LISTEN, YOUNG FELLOW - IF YOU'RE GOING TO GO GALLY-HOOTIN' OFF TO SAWALLA, I'M GOING, TOO! YOU NEEDN'T THINK YOU'RE GOING TO LEAVE ME HERE!

AW, Ooola.

WASH TUBBS

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Wash Has Plenty of Confidence

WHAT! THAT GUYS NAME AINT SNODGRASS - IT'S TORPEDO BLOTTS

WE BIN TO HIS TRAINING CAMP, WE KNOW.

I'VE BEEN TRICKED! I'M RUINED! THEY'VE SLIPPED TORPEDO BLOTTS INTO THE RING WITH EASY.

SHOO! EASY KIN WHIP HIM.

HE KIN WHIP ANYBODY IN TH' WORLD. PLEASE DONT USE THE MAGNET COLONEL, EASY'LL WIN WITHOUT IT.

GREAT SCOTT, BOY! I GOT \$1,700 BET ON THIS FIGHT.

MEANWHILE, REMEMBER, KID, WE'RE FIGHTING JOE LOUIS NEXT WEEK. DONT HIT THIS PUNK SO HARD YOU'LL BREAK YOUR FISTS.

DONT WORRY BOSS, HE'S A PUSHER.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

IF YOU WERE A SMART GUY, YOU'D STALL YOUR ENGINE PURPOSELY, SO'S I'D BE TOO LATE TO KEEP THE DATE!

I WOULDN'T BE THAT KIND OF A GUY! IF THIS ENGINE DIES, IT WILL HAVE TO BE BY IT'S OWN HAND!

I GUESS YOU CALLED IT, ALL RIGHT... IT LOOKS LIKE A PLAIN CASE OF SUICIDE!!

Myra North, Special Nurse

I MIGHT AS WELL TELL YOU... I'M FRECKLES MCGOOSEY, THE GUY YOU'VE SWORN TO HATE!

AND THAT MAKES ME THE GUY WHO LIKES THE SAME GIRL YOU DO! I'M SIDNEY WICKLEY!

WHAT ARE WE GONNA DO ABOUT IT? MEASURE OFF TEN PAGES AND FIRE AT RANDOM?

GEE, THIS IS A SITUATION! AND I'M TAKING YOU TO THE PEYTON HOUSE TO KEEP A DATE WITH MY GIRL!

I'LL FOLLOW MY OWN JUDGMENT IN THIS, MISS NORTH... BUT I WANT YOU TO OBSERVE THIS ANCIENT CLOCK - SEE WHAT HAPPENS WHEN I SET THE HANDS AT TWELVE!

WHY, THE HANDS ACT AS A COMBINATION TO A SAFE... VERY INGENIOUS!

IT HAS BEEN IN THE FAMILY FOR GENERATIONS - THE SAFE ACTUALLY IS THE WALL PANEL BACK OF THE CLOCK!

AT THAT MOMENT, A LARGE, LUXURIOUS LIMOUSINE PUSHES ITS WAY UP THE WINDING HILL. THAT LEADS TO AINSLEY HOUSE.

STILL IN THE GRIP OF A STRANGE FOREBODING, LADY AINSLEY LEADS MYRA TO THE OLD LIBRARY AFTER BREAKFAST.

COME HERE, MY DEAR - THERE'S SOMETHING I WANT YOU TO KNOW ABOUT, JUST IN CASE.

PLEASE, LADY AINSLEY - NOTHING'S GOING TO HAPPEN!

Lady Ainsley Tells a Secret

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**Washington**

Miss Mary Pilkinton and Mrs. O. B. Hardeman of Arkadelphia spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Pilkinton.

Mrs. Maggie Thompson came Saturday from McCaskill to visit her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Gold and Mr. Gold.

Rev. McGuire and Mrs. McGuire and little daughter, Mary, Rev. and Mrs. Galin attended the funeral of Mr. Monroe last Friday. Rev. McGuire and Rev. Galin were former pastors here and held in much esteem by the people of their church and others.

Mrs. Turner and daughter, Ethel, were here Friday afternoon from Hope.

Mrs. B. A. Hartsfield has returned to her home in Oklahoma after a visit to her mother, Mrs. H. M. E. Tate of Little Rock is visiting his family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Yarberry of Blevins have moved to our little town and are living in home with Mrs. Yarberry's father, W. H. Stingley.

Rev. W. H. Stingley is leaving this week for Idadel, Okla., where he expects to enter business. His family will join him later.

The Baptist W. M. S. met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Jackson for their monthly missionary program. The hosts served a delicious salad plate with hot chocolate that was enjoyed by those present.